

³ 20 C.F.R. § 501.3(e) provides in pertinent part: “Any notice of appeal must be filed within 180 days from the date of issuance of a decision of the OWCP.”

2021, it is an informational letter and, thus, does not constitute a final adverse OWCP decision.⁴ As there is no final adverse decision over which the Board may properly exercise jurisdiction, the Board concludes that the appeal docketed as No. 21-1027 must be dismissed.⁵ Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the appeal docketed as No. 21-1027 is dismissed.

Issued: March 25, 2022
Washington, DC

Alec J. Koromilas, Chief Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

Janice B. Askin, Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

Valerie D. Evans-Harrell, Alternate Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

⁴ See *Order Dismissing Appeal, G.T.*, Docket No. 21-0199 (issued December 1, 2021); *Order Dismissing Appeal, S.U.*, Docket No. 20-0636 (issued December 3, 2020) (correspondence that is purely informational in nature does not constitute a final adverse decision of OWCP from which a appellant may properly appeal).

⁵ The Board's decisions and orders are "final upon the expiration of 30 days from the date of their issuance." 20 C.F.R. § 501.6(d).